

## DOCKET NO. 98-250-E - ORDER NO. 98-573

IN RE: Request of Carolina Power & Light Company ) ORDER GRANTING  
to Introduce Curtailable Load Rider CL. ) INTERVENTION AND  
) HEARING AND  
) SETTING PREFILE  
) DATES

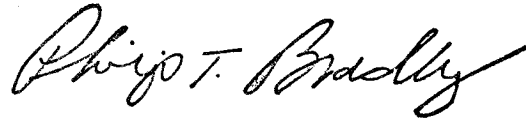
Further, Nucor Steel states its belief that the Company's specific proposal is not just and reasonable and may be unduly discriminatory. Accordingly, Nucor Steel's

Petition to Intervene in this matter is granted, and a hearing shall be set by Staff so that this Commission may gather all of the facts about the Carolina Power & Light proposal. We will be able to determine at such a hearing whether there is any merit to Nucor Steel's claims about the proposal.

This matter is also before the Commission for the purpose of establishing pre-filing deadlines for testimony and exhibits. Pursuant to 26 S.C. Regs. 103-869(C)(Supp.1997), the Commission hereby orders that twenty-five copies of the testimony and exhibits of the Applicant shall be prefiled on or before **November 5, 1998**, and that twenty-five copies of the testimony and exhibits of the Commission Staff and/or intervenors shall be pre-filed on or before **November 19, 1998**. In addition, parties shall serve their pre-filed testimony and exhibits on all other parties of record as required by the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All parties are reminded that all witnesses must be present during any hearing in this matter at the call of the Chairman, or the Commission may decline to allow the witnesses' testimony to be read into the record of the proceeding, and/or may decline to allow the witnesses' exhibits to be entered into the evidence of the case.

Please take notice that any party requesting modification of this schedule must file a request for such modification with the Commission.

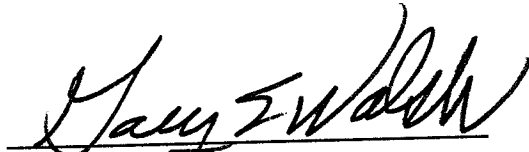
BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:



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Chairman

ATTEST:

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Acting Executive Director

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